

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Urs BURCKHARDT et al.

Application No.: New U.S. National Stage of  
PCT/EP03/014570

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Docket No.: 124173

For: POLYMER COMPRISING 3-(N-SILYLALKYL) AMINOPROPENOATE GROUPS  
AND USE THEREOF**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims;**Remarks.**